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Docket No.: 308,935

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Application of : BEN NUN et al.

Serial No.: 09/717,290

: Group Art Unit: 2665

Filed : November 22, 2000 : Examiner: Steven HD Nguyen

For : A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROCESS FLOW

RANDOM EARLY DISCARD IN SERVICE AWARE  
NETWORKING SYSTEMS

January 3, 2005

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Sir:

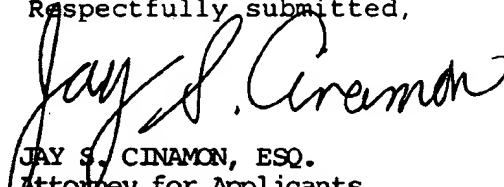
In response to an official action dated October 4, 2004, kindly amend the above-referenced application as follows.

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presented hereinabove to be fully responsive to all of the objections and grounds of rejection raised by the Examiner. In view of these amendments and remarks, all the claims pending in the present patent application are believed to be in condition for allowance. Prompt notice to this effect is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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**CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I**

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)
TOTAL CLAIMS		
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	minus 20 =	*
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	minus 3 =	*
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT <input type="checkbox"/>		

\* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

SMALL ENTITY  
TYPE ☐

OR OTHER THAN  
SMALL ENTITY

RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	395.00
x 25	
x 100	
+180	
TOTAL	

RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	790.00
x 50	
x 200	
+360	
TOTAL	

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II**

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
	13/05		
Total	19	Minus	87 =
Independent	5	Minus	3 = 2
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

13, 20, 48, 55, 76,

SMALL ENTITY

OR OTHER THAN  
SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 25	—
x 100	200
+180	—
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	200

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 50	
x 200	
+360	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
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Independent		Minus	
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RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 25	
x 100	
+180	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 50	
x 200	
+360	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total		Minus	
Independent		Minus	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 25	
x 100	
+180	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x 50	
x 200	
+360	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

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